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ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF TERMINATION OF COLLATERAL ASSIGNMENT

This Acknowledgment of Termination of Collateral Assignment is made with reference to:

- 1. That certain Patent and Trademark Security Agreement, dated as of October 24, 1997, (the "Original Security Agreement") by and between AccuMed International, Inc., as assignor ("Assignor"), and Transamerica Business Credit Corporation, as assignee ("Assignee"), which was recorded in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on November 10, 1997, Reel 8773 at Frame 0859, with respect to the patent items set forth on Exhibit A-1 hereto (the "Original Patents"), and which was recorded in the United States Patents and Trademarks Office on November 7, 1997, Reel 1660 at Frame 0148, with respect to the trademark items set forth on Exhibit B hereto (the "Trademarks"); and
- 2. That certain Supplement One to Patent and Trademark Security Agreement, dated as of December 24, 1997 (the "Supplemental Security Agreement"; the Original Security Agreement and the Supplemental Security Agreement may be collectively referred to herein as the "Security Agreements") by and between Assignor and Assignee, which was recorded in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on January 23, 1998, Reel 8907 at Frame 0577, with respect to the patent items set forth on Exhibit A-2 hereto (the "Supplemental Patents"; the Original Patents and the Supplemental Patents may be referred to collectively herein as the "Patents").

Assignee hereby acknowledges and agrees that the Security Agreements have been terminated and that all of the rights and interests of Assignee under the Security Agreements have been terminated, including, without limitation, all of the rights and interests of Assignee in and to the Patents and the Trademarks.

Assignee does hereby further authorize and consent that this Acknowledgment of Termination may be recorded and indexed by the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks.

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Patents and Patent Applications

PATENTS OWNED BY AccuMed

	Patent No.	Filed/Issued	Expires	Description
US	5,607,860	3/4/97	6/7/15	Dual chamber blood culture bottle
US	5,573,9 5 1	11/12/96	6/7/15	Dual chamber blood culture bottle with rotating inlet valve assembly
US	5,652,143	7/29/97	6/7/15	Dual chamber blood culture bettle with breek seal
US	5,580,786	12/6/9 6	6/7/15	Dual chamber blood culture bottle with syringe capture and piston assembly
US	5,232,839	8/3/93	6/14/10	Detecting microbiological growth
US	5,501,9 59	3/26/96	1/17/9	Antibiotic and cytotoxic drug susceptibility assays using resazurin and poising agents
EP	454,784	4/17/96	1/16/10	Apparatus and methods for antimicrobial susceptibility testing of microorganizms
DE	690226602.2	1/9/97	1/17/9	Apparatus and methods for antimicrobial susceptibility testing of microorganizms
US	5,073,857	12/17/91	6/1/9	Method and Apparatus for Cell Analysis
US	5,077,806	12/31/91	6/1/9	Machine Vision Analysis Apparatus

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	Patent No.	Filed/Issued	Expires	Description
US	4,435,507		3/6/1	Process and device for preparation of cell samples for cytological tests
US	4,339,101	7/13/82	1/22/0	Device for displacing a member, primarily a stage for optical instruments, in arbitrary directions in one and the same plane
US	3,932,733	1/13/76	Expired	Automatic focusing of an optical system
ED	55746	9/19/84	1/14/1	Cytological specimen preparation

SUPPLEMENTAL PATENTS AND PATENT APPLICATIONS

	Filed/Issued	Patent No.	Description	
US	9/15/95	08/528789	Automated specimen handler	
US	9/15/95	08/529220	Individualized patient data for screening	
CA	9/13/96	2185511	Individualized patient data for screening	
DT	9/16/96	19637741.2	Individualized patient data for screening	
UK	9/16/96	9619296.8	Individualized patient data for screening	
US	9/15/95	08/529188	Simplifying implementation of specified functions	
CA	9/13/96	2185501	Simplifying implementation of specified functions	
DT	9/16/96	19637755.2	Simplifying implementation of specified functions	
UK	9/6/96	96118688.1	Simplifying implementation of specified functions	
CA	9/13/96	2185500	Multifunctional control unit	
DT	9/16/96	19637756.0	Multifunctional control unit	
UK	9/16/96	9619298.4	Multifunctional control unit	
US	9/15/95	08/528793	Specimen management system	
US	9/15/95	08/528791	Slide cassette	
US	1/11/96	08/584287	Machine readable code	
US	10/25/96	08/736790	Slide mapping	
US	4/23/97	08/845261	Imaging and sampling using sutofluorescence	
US	9/30/96	08/723828	Slide dotter	
US	12/18/96	08/768711	CIP/Multifunctional control unit	
PCT	1/30/95	US95/01269	Microbiological culture bottle method of making and using	
US	2/4/94	08/576050	Culture bottle	
CA	2/4/94	2182511	Culture bottle	
CA	1/16/90	2044265-4	Apparatus and methods for antimicrobial sysceptibility	
JP	1/16/90	503076/90	Apparatus and methods for antimicrobial sysceptibility	
PCT	1/16/90	US90/00149	Apparatus and methods for antimicrobial sysceptibility	
US	1/17/98	07/298599	Apparatus and methods for antimicrobial sysceptibility	
US	12/21/95	08/576050	Microbiological culture bottle method of making and using	

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FR	1/16/90	90902964.7	Apparatus and methods for antimicrobial susceptibility testing of microorganizms	
IT	1/16/90	90902964.7	Apparatus and methods for antimicrobial susceptibility testing of microorganizms	
UK	1/16/90	90902964.7	Apparatus and methods for antimicrobial susceptibilty testing of microorganizms	
SP	1/16/90	90902964.7	Apparatus and methods for antimicrobial susceptibilty testing of microorganizms	
US		5,518,895	Device for detecting microorganisms using piezoelectric means	
EP	4/17/96	90902964.7	Apparatus and methods for antimicrobial	
		0454784	susceptibility	
EP	7/16/97	92203183.6	Detecting microbiological growth	
ΙΤ		92203183.6	Detecting microbiological growth	
SP		92203183.6	Detecting microbiological growth	
DE		92203183.6	Detecting microbiological growth	
FR		92203183.6	Detecting microbiological growth	
UK		92203183.6	Detecting microbiological growth	
JP	1/30/95	7-520698	Microbiological culture bottle method of making and using	
EP	1/30/95	95909409.5	Microbiological culture bottle method of making and using	

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Registered Trademarks and Trademark Applications

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Mark	Registration	Issued	Expiration
ESP	1808411	11/30/93	11/30/3
EZ DRAW	1794215	9/21/93	9/21/3
EZ VIEW	1794214	9/21/93	9/21/3
RELATIONAL CYTOPATHOLOGY REVIEW GUIDE	75/039,855	9/2/97	
ACCELL (stylized)	75/039,856	1/3/96	
TRACCELL (stylized)	75/151,975	8/19/96	
MACROVISION	75/151,976	8/19/96	
SPECIFIND	75/151,885	8/19/96	
FLUORETONE	75/116,807	9/16/96	
MACCELL	75/170,554	9/23/96	
PATHOS	75/331,048	7/7/97	
ACCELL-SAVANT	75/333,889	7/11/97	
INSIGHT	74/706,367	7/26/95	

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Enclosed herein are two Acknowledgements of Termination of Collateral Assignment relating to liens on Accumed's intellectual property held by Transamerica Business Credit Corporation ("TBCC"). I deliver these documents to you to be held in escrow pending Accumed's full payment of all obligations owing to TBCC.

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